

**RESOLUTION OF THE TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL  
(Approving an Attorney Contract with the Law Firm of Sacks Tierney Related  
to Initiative Business Grants)**

**RESOLUTION NO. 05-089**

1 **WHEREAS, the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council appropriated \$15 million for business**  
2 **grants to enrolled members of the Tohono O'odham Nation, as authorized in an**  
3 **Initiative (IN-01-97) passed by voters of the Nation; and**

4 **WHEREAS, the Legislative Council has approved the fiscal year 2003 budget for the Economic**  
5 **Development Department (the "Department") related to the Department's**  
6 **administration of the grant program; and**

7 **WHEREAS, the Department, grantees and grant applicants require advice on the laws applicable**  
8 **to grantee businesses situated within the United States; and**

9 **WHEREAS, the approved budget of the Department includes funds to engage attorneys for that**  
10 **purpose (24-1805.810); and**

11 **WHEREAS, under Resolution No. 02-082, an Attorney Contract with the Law Office of Sacks**  
12 **Tierney was approved and the Department wishes to continue with this**  
13 **representation; and**

14 **WHEREAS, an Attorney Contract with the Law Office of Sacks Tierney in the amount of \$30,000.00**  
15 **has been prepared, copies of which are attached; and**

16 **WHEREAS, the Domestic Affairs, Commerce, and Budget & Finance Committee recommend**  
17 **approval of the Attorney Contract.**

18 **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT:**

19 **1. The Tohono O'odham Legislative Council approves, in the form attached hereto,**  
20 **an Attorney Contract with the Law Office of Sacks Tierney in the amount of**  
21 **\$30,000 for fiscal year 2005 and payable from the fiscal year 2005 budget of the**  
22 **Economic Development Department (Account No. 24-1805.810).**

23 **2. The Chairman of the Nation is authorized and directed to execute the**  
24 **foregoing Attorney Contract.**

25 **The foregoing Resolution was passed by the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council on the 11<sup>TH</sup> Day**  
26 **of FEBRUARY, 2005 at a meeting at which a quorum was present with a vote of 2,068.4 FOR;**  
27 **AGAINST; -0- NOT VOTING; and [03] ABSENT, pursuant to the powers vested in the Council by**  
28 **Section 2 (a) of Article VI of the Constitution of the Tohono O'Odham Nation, adopted by the**  
29 **Tohono O'Odham Nation on January 18, 1986; and approved by the Acting Deputy Assistant**  
30 **Secretary - Indian Affairs (Operations) on March 6, 1986, pursuant to Section 16 of the Act of June**  
31 **18, 1934 (48 Stat. 984).**

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TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

  
Isidro Lopez, Legislative Chairman

18<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2005


ATTEST:

  
Lucille Lopez, Acting Legislative Secretary

18<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2005.

Said Resolution was submitted for approval to the office of the Chairwoman of the Tohono O'Odham Nation on the 18<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2005 at 4:01 o'clock, P.M., pursuant to the provisions of Section 5 of Article VII of the Constitution and will become effective upon her approval or upon her failure to either approve or disapprove it within 48 hours of submittal.

TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

  
Isidro Lopez, Legislative Chairman

APPROVED

on the 23<sup>rd</sup> day of February, 2005

DISAPPROVED

at 11:42 o'clock, A.M.

  
VIVIAN JUAN-SAUNDERS, CHAIRWOMAN  
TOHONO O'ODHAM NATION

Returned to the Legislative Secretary on the 23<sup>rd</sup> day of

February, 2005, at 11:49 o'clock, A.M.

  
Lucille Lopez, Acting Legislative Secretary

ACTION: APPROVING AN ATTORNEY CONTRACT WITH THE LAW FIRM OF SACKS TIERNEY RELATED TO INITIATIVE BUSINESS GRANTS

MOVED: COUNCILWOMAN FRANCES MIGUEL

SECOND: COUNCILWOMAN FRANCES ANTONE

DATE: FEBRUARY 11, 2005

DISTRICT	LEGISLATIVE REPRESENTATIVES	# OF VOTES	FOR	AGAINST	NOT VOTING	ABSENT
<b>SIF OIDAK</b> <b>192.6</b>	1. ISIDRO LOPEZ (Nicholas Jose)	96.30	X			
	2. DARLENE ANDREW ** (Rita Martinez)	96.30	X			
<b>SELLS</b> <b>465.6</b>	1. DENNIS E. JOSE ** ( )	232.80		X		
	2. EVELYN JUAN ( )	232.80		X		
<b>SCHUK TOAK</b> <b>176.1</b>	1. FRANCES B. CONDE ( )	88.05	X			
	2. PHYLLIS JUAN ( )	88.05	X			
<b>SAN XAVIER</b> <b>215.4</b>	1. FELICIA NUÑEZ ( <i>Absent</i> ) (Olivia Liston-Villegas) ( <i>Present</i> )	107.70	X			
	2. DENNIS RAMON ( <i>Absent</i> ) (Eleanor Hunter) ( <i>Present</i> )	107.70	X			
<b>SAN LUCY</b> <b>166.3</b>	1. JOHN W. LAWSON, SR. ( )	83.15	X			
	2. GLORIA RAMIREZ** ( )	83.15	X			
<b>PISINEMO</b> <b>175.4</b>	1. BARBARA SALVICIO ( )	87.70	X			
	2. PATRICIA CRUZ ( )	87.70	X			
<b>HICKIWAN</b> <b>170.3</b>	1. DELMA GARCIA (Mary E. Sam)	85.15	X			
	2. SANDRA ORTEGA ( )	85.15	X			X
<b>GU VO</b> <b>191.4</b>	1. RAYMOND VICTOR ( )	95.70	X			
	2. MICHAEL FLORES (Willard Manuel)	95.70		X		
<b>GU ACHI</b> <b>253.6</b>	1. TIMOTHY L. JOAQUIN (Jonas Robles)	126.80	X			
	2. JEROME JOAQUIN ( <i>Absent</i> ) (Roberta Picard)( <i>Not Present</i> )	126.80	X			X
<b>CHUKUT KUK</b> <b>258.9</b>	1. KENNETH WILLIAMS (Juanita Homer)	129.45	X			
	2. VERLON M. JOSE (David Garcia)	129.45	X			
<b>BABOQUIVARI</b> <b>364.1</b>	1. FRANCES MIGUEL ( Lucilda Norris-Valenzuela )	182.05	X			
	2. FRANCES G. ANTONE ( )	182.05	X			
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>2,629.7</b>	<b>2,068.4</b>	<b>561.3</b>	<b>-0-</b>	<b>[03]</b>

\*\*PASSED VOTES